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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
In the Application of
CHRISTOFER FUCHS ET AL.
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2002, for one month, from December 11, 2002 to January 11, 2003. Applicants authorize payment of the accompanying fee of \$110.00 from Deposit Account 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted
FOR: CHRISTOFER FUCHS ET AL.

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